



General Assembly

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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 1142

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***"AN ACT CONCERNING RELIEF OF STATE MANDATES ON
SCHOOL DISTRICTS."***

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Subsection (a) of section 1-225 of the general statutes is
4 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
5 *passage and applicable to meetings of public agencies that occur on or after*
6 *October 1, 2008*):

7 (a) (1) The meetings of all public agencies, except executive sessions,
8 as defined in subdivision (6) of section 1-200, shall be open to the
9 public. The votes of each member of any such public agency upon any
10 issue before such public agency shall be reduced to writing and made
11 available for public inspection within forty-eight hours and shall also
12 be recorded in the minutes of the session at which taken. Within seven
13 days of the session to which such minutes refer, such minutes shall be

14 available for public inspection and posted on such public agency's
15 Internet web site, if available. Each such agency shall make, keep and
16 maintain a record of the proceedings of its meetings.

17 (2) Each city, town, borough, municipal corporation, school district,
18 regional district or other district or other political subdivision of this
19 state and any department, institution, bureau, board, commission,
20 authority or official of each such entity shall make, keep and maintain
21 a record of the proceedings of its meetings and shall record such
22 proceedings in the minutes of the session at which taken.
23 Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this section, on
24 and after January 1, 2010, such minutes may be available for public
25 inspection and posted on such entity's Internet web site, if available,
26 not later than thirty days following the session to which such minutes
27 refer."